

AMENDMENT

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IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 10, second paragraph, please delete and replace with the following:

A/ If the test of block 342 yields a negative result, then the originating host is not allowed to send its network address to the destination server. In one embodiment, an error response message is sent back to the originating host, as shown by block 348 [358]. Block 348 [358] may involve returning an HTTP response message with an error code, or any other suitable means for signaling from the proxy server to the originating host than an error has occurred, or that security rules prohibit forwarding or responding to the request.